

## Performance Check

# GeneMapper® ID-X Version 1.4

The following report verifies the performance of the Applied Biosystems GeneMapper ID-X Version 1.4 Software.

GMID-X v1.4 is approved for use on 2/1/15.

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## I. Introduction

This report describes a performance check of the Applied Biosystems GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.4 Software. It demonstrates the laboratory's adherence to Standard 8.7 of the Quality Assurance Standards for DNA Testing Laboratories which states:

"Modifications to software, such as an upgrade, shall require a performance check prior to implementation. New software or significant software changes that may impact interpretation or the analytical process shall require a validation prior to implementation."

It also demonstrates the laboratory's adherence to the SWGDAM Validation Guidelines, Section 7.2, which states:

"A software upgrade that would not impact interpretation, the analytical process, or sizing algorithms shall require a performance check."

## II. Performance Check

### a. Objective

Samples will be analyzed in both GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.3 and GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.4. Allele calls, peak heights and base pair sizes will be evaluated to confirm concordance. In addition, all panels, bin sets and stutter files will be compared to verify concordance.

### b. Materials and Methods

#### GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.3

Analysis Method: Identifiler\_Plus\_AnalysisMethod\_v1X (PAT = 70rfu)  
Panel: Identifiler\_Plus\_Panels\_v1X  
Bin Set: Identifiler\_Plus\_Bins\_v1X  
Stutter File: AmpFLSTR\_Stutter\_v1X  
Size Standard: CE\_G5\_HID\_GS500

#### GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.4

Analysis Method: Identifiler\_Plus\_AnalysisMethod\_v1X (PAT = 70rfu)  
Panel: Identifiler\_Plus\_v1.2X  
Bin Set: AmpFLSTR\_Bins\_v3X  
Stutter File: AmpFLSTR\_Stutter\_v3X  
Size Standard: CE\_G5\_HID\_GS500

#### Run used for analysis:

Plate Name: 061314JS-RUN1  
Injections: 1\_Run\_3130xl\_MPD\_2014-06-13\_07-21\_1312  
2\_Run\_3130xl\_MPD\_2014-06-13\_10-55\_1313  
Samples: 1\_A03\_LADDER\_1312\_001.fsa  
1\_B03\_10-573-JS-COMP-1\_1312\_003.fsa  
1\_C03\_10-573-JS-COMP-2\_1312\_005.fsa  
1\_D03\_060914JS-RRB1\_1312\_007.fsa  
1\_E03\_061214JS-POS1\_1312\_009.fsa  
1\_F03\_061214JS-NEG1\_1312\_011.fsa  
2\_A01\_LADDER\_1313\_001.fsa

2\_A02\_060514JS-RB1SF\_1313\_002.fsa  
2\_B01\_10-573-JS-COMP-3-1\_1313\_003.fsa  
2\_B02\_061214JS-POS1\_1313\_004.fsa  
2\_C01\_060614JS-RB1\_1313\_005.fsa  
2\_C02\_061214JS-NEG1\_1313\_006.fsa  
2\_D01\_10-573-JS-COMP-4-1EF1\_1313\_007.fsa  
2\_D02\_LADDER\_1313\_008.fsa  
2\_E01\_060514JS-RB1EF1\_1313\_009.fsa  
2\_F01\_10-573-JS-COMP-4-1EF2\_1313\_011.fsa  
2\_G01\_060514JS-RB1EF2\_1313\_013.fsa  
2\_H01\_10-573-JS-COMP-4-1SF\_1313\_015.fsa

c. Experimental Setup/Data Analysis

The above listed samples were analyzed in GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.3 using the parameters listed above. They were also analyzed in GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.4 with the parameters listed above. Each electropherogram was printed and a combined table was exported. All allele calls, base pair sizes and peak heights were evaluated by two separate individuals to confirm concordance.

The different panels, bin sets and stutter files were also exported and printed. Each value was compared and evaluated by two separate individuals to confirm concordance.

d. Results

See electropherograms and printed tables.

All allele calls, peak heights and base pair sizes were verified by DFS Intern Maurice Griffin and Forensic Scientist III Jessica Skillman. All values were determined to be concordant.

All values in the panels, bin sets and stutter files were verified by DFS Intern Maurice Griffin and Forensic Scientist III Jessica Skillman. All values were determined to be concordant.

e. Conclusions

The GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.3 software produced concordant results with the GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.4 software. The GeneMapper® *ID-X* Version 1.4 software is recommended for use in casework analysis for the purpose of analyzing samples and printing electropherograms for interpretation.

III. Appendix – Setup worksheet, electropherograms and data tables